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Amendment to the Title is on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Specification is on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Amendment to the Title:

Please replace the title with the following new title:

--SUBSTANCE TRANSFER DEVICE--